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In the application of:

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ANTIGENS; RELATED REAGENTS

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE COMMUNICATION

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Communication mailed on August 6, 2004, for compliance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825, a response for which is due October 6, 2004. Filed herewith is a Petition and fee for a two-month extension of time, thereby extending the deadline for response from October 6, 2004 to December 6, 2004. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to enter the following substitute Sequence Listing, amendment, and remarks.

In the Sequence Listing:

Please insert a paper copy (pages 1-11) of the substitute Sequence Listing after the abstract in the above-captioned patent application. A computer readable form (CRF copy) of the substitute Sequence Listing accompanies this response.